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### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Lounsberry et al.

Title:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ASSOCIATING A FIELD REPLACEABLE UNIT WITH A MEDICAL DIAGNOSTIC

MEDICAL DIAGNOSTIC SYSTEM AND RECORDING

OPERATIONAL DATA

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## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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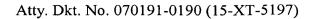
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## AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

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Sir:

This reply is responsive to the Office Action mailed on September 8, 2005, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: